July 24th.

Dear Shirley,

Your letter which was addressed to Maureen Bullows was posted on to me and arrived whilst my wife and I were away in Lincolnshire. Sorry therefor for the delay.

I have managed to find out something for you to get your teeth into before

you travel over the ponds to this side of the world.

The two sheets from the Glamorgan 1881 census show all the Martyn's in Glamorgan and also Richard the senior with his son, Richard junior living in Cross Inn road, Llantrisant. Cross Inn is now a small estate to the south east of LLantrisant, but in 1881 just a village. Also enclosed are three sheets for LLantrisant parish church graveyard.

This is the old church on the hill. I have given you a portion of the plan and providing you know where North is (!!!!) you should find the

two graves belonging to your family group.

I have not as yet been able to find Richard senior nor Eliza, but when you arrive you may well be able to look at the 1871 census in the Mormon Library, the Central Library or Glamorgan Record Office, all within the City of Cardiff.

I do not have the 1891 census for the LLantrisant area yet, but hope to have it before too long, it is ordered for me. It is available at the

three places mentioned earlier.

I have tried to find you some relations and have found a Barry builder who se ancestors came from Cornwall, but he seems not to have any links with Porth, Pontypridd or Llantrisant. If we can find Melville or Glenys we would be home and dry, but so far I cannot find any such person in the phone book.

You now know who Beatrice Mary married, a William Walter Ash. I may be able to follow that line for you, or at least find the husbands family. I am sorry to say that I am not on the internet and do not intend to become hooked, but perhaps rely on the work of others to produce the computor transcribed data on fiche. I can manage that ! LLantrisant itself is an old town situated on a hill. Nearby is the Royal Mint and on the hill top itself is the site of the cremation of the son of William Price, perhaps the founder of our form of cremation within the church system. This you can read about on the flight over !!

(Makes good reading.) Also at the top of the town is an Art and Craft centre which is very

good, complete with workshops.

Porth is within the mining area of the valleys with Llantrisant about 3% miles to the south, just out of the mining district on the north edge of the vale of Glamorgan (so called), but it is not a valley, just a lower alluvial area or spill out from the glaciated valleys of the last ice age.

September will be a busy month for our family with two important wedding aniversaries to be celebrated so weekends may be awkward, but please ring to find out if we are available and sober. The Cardiff number is as 029, 20563223. If you are in Cardiff, no need for the 029. follows

All the very best with your searches and it is possible I could find more information given a few more hours but I have other letters to answer.

Yours sincerely,

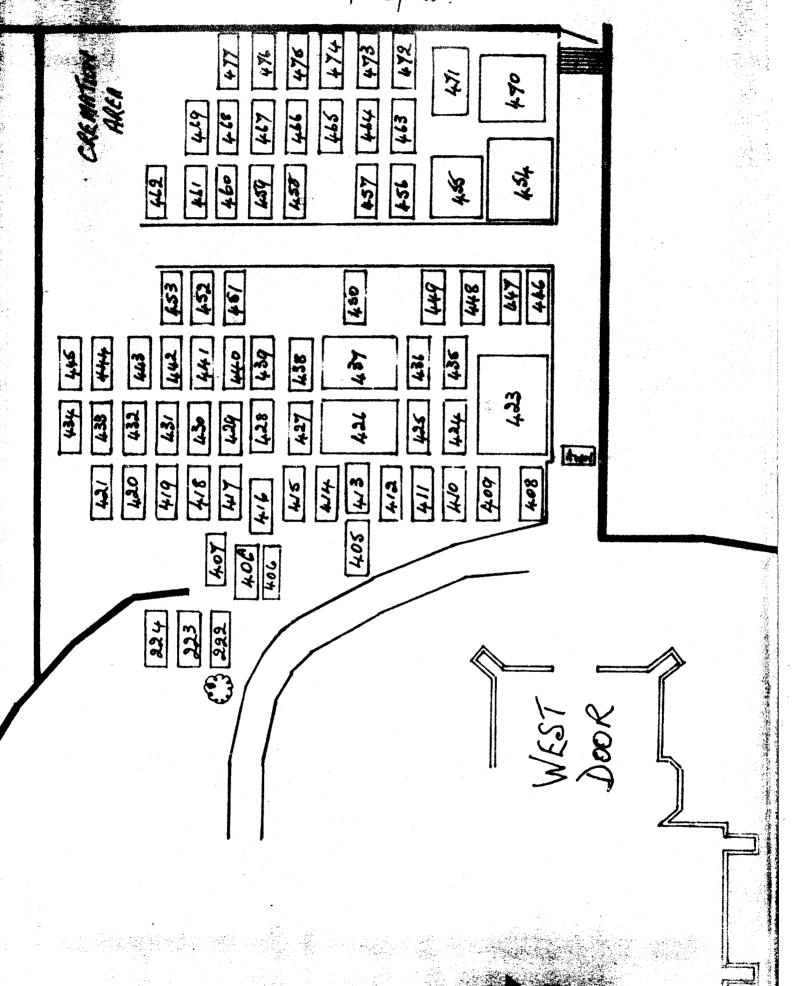
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Pacing EAST:- In loving memory of/RICHARD MARTYN,/of Barry (Late of Porth),/Born November 3rd 1838,/Died May 13th 1910,/ Peace, Perefect Peace."/Also of BLANCHI ELLERY/wife of the above named/who died on October 21st, 1912, aged 72 years./ Plearer my God to Thee."// Pacing NORTH:- Also/of/REGINALD MARTYN,/son of WILLIAM WALTER/ BEATRICE MARY ASH,/a Grandson of the aforesaid/Born May 18th 1913,/Died December 8th 1920./"Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."/

LYDA BORD 1460

Jack Polished Grey Granite Headstone and kerb, facing East. In loving memory of/LYDIA MARTYN/beloved wife of REGINALD MARTYN/ and loving Mother of MELVILLE and GLENYS,/Porth, Rhondda./died Oct. 4, 1960, aged 61 years./"I came to Jesus as I was,/weary and worn and sad./I found in Him a resting place,/and He has made me glad. "/Also her beloved husband/REGIE/died worll 13, 1965, aged 68 years./"Re-united."/

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YN	William H.		M Son	U Coedfrank	Railway Goods+	MARTYN, William B.	CON		5344	28	28	
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MARTIN	MARY JANE	1931JUN24	70	LLANDAFF, CATHEDRAL CLOSE	16
MARTIN	MAY NEE DULSON	1949JAN25	22	LLANHARRY,ST.ILLTYD	12
MARTIN	MIRIAM	1903JUL20	-	LLANGYNWYD, ST. CYNWYD	-
MARTIN	MORFYDD	1941AUG22		ST.BRIDES-SUPER-ELY, ST. BRIDE	
MARTIN	PERCIVAL	1965AUG09		ST.BRIDES-SUPER-ELY, ST. BRIDE	
MARTIN	RHODA	19510CT14	98	YSTRAD MYNACH, HOLY TRINITY	
MARTIN	RICHARD	1889JUL23		LLANGYNWYD, ST. CYNWYD	
MARTIN	RICHARD	1857FEB25	29	CYMMER (RHONDDA), CONGREGINL.	1
ARTIN	RICHARD	1896JUL18	65	LLANTRISANT, ST. ILLTYD	•
MARTIN	RICHARD	1856JUL14	74	GROESWEN, WELSH CONGREGATNL.	1
MARTIN	RUTH	1959MAY29	• •	LLANGYNWYD, ST. CYNWYD	•
IARTIN	SARAH	1889DEC09		LLANGYNWYD, ST. CYNWYD	
MARTIN	SECILIA	1913NOV30	49	GELLIGAER, ST. CATTWG	
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ARTIN	SYDNEY	1878AUG01	ÓΖ	CAERPHILLY, ST. MARTIN	
ARTIN	THOMAS	1843JUN16	18	CYMMER (RHONDDA), CONGREGINL.	1
ARTIN	THOMAS	1936FEB26	44	YSTRAD MYNACH, HOLY TRINITY	١
ARTIN	THOMA'	1934JUL14	51	MACHEN LOWER, ST. MICHAEL	1
ARTIN	THOMAS	1894JANG1	77	HOPKINSTOWN, ST. DAVID	1
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ARTIN	WILLIAM JOHN	1963JUL09		HOPKINSTOWN, ST. DAVID	1
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ARTYN	BLANCHE E.		02	BARRY, ST. NICHOLAS	
ARTYN	CHARLES DIAMOND	19120CT21	72	LLANTRISANT, ST. ILLTYD	
ARTYN		1916JAN22	18	BARRY, ST. NICHOLAS	
	FRANCIS DAVID	INFANCY		BARRY, ST. NICHOLAS	
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	MARIA	1914DEC08	45	BARRY, ST. NICHOLAS	
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ARTYN	REGINALD	1965APR13	68	LLANTRISANT, ST. ILLTYD	
ARTYN	RICHARD	1910MAY13	71	LLANTRISANT, ST. ILLTYD	-
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ARTYN	SAMUEL JAMES	INFANCY		BARRY, ST. NICHOLAS	
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